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## WASHINGTON, D. C.

Thanksgiving Day the flags of the nations were displayed. The real cause for gratitude and thanks were the following results achieved thus far in ten working days of the arms parley.

The talk of preparing the turkey and dressing is over. Thank you. President and Mrs. Harding and the delegates with their families attended the Thanksgiving services at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Calvary Baptist Church, under the auspices Federal Council, Church of Christ in America, and the deaf congregation were happy.

The Washington, D. C., has no branch of the National Association of the Deaf, but there are other societies under the management of the talented deaf. Would not they do a bit and help the deaf with their influence to organize a branch and have their societies allied with it? As the National Association of the Deaf is the central organization of all societies, except N. F. S. D., in the United States, and is a real genuine democracy.

On the 11th of November the deaf of Washington and nearby joined the District residents' pause to give a thought to the native sons and daughters whose lives were sacrificed in the great struggle between right and wrong.

Of the many wreaths that were placed on the unknown hero's bier from every place of the land, perhaps the most impressive to you gentle readers was when Mr. Souder, a frat, put a beautiful wreath of roses on the bier for the N. F. S. D.

One of the most impressive of the many ceremonies was at 7:45 Friday evening, November 11th. President Harding stood in the front of the Pan American building, pressed a button which turned on the myriad of electric lights and searchlights that played on the great jeweled arch, towers, Washington Monument, Capitol, and others. As the president touched the button an Army band played "The Star Spangled Banner," and a salute of 21 guns fired from the foot of the Washington Monument, and the searchlights played upon the rising smoke of the salute until it had wafted into nothingness high in the air. Mr. Wilson attended the solemn procession and was greeted by the spectators, and it was his first appearance at an official function since he attended the inauguration of his successor, President Harding.

Rev. Mr. Bryant is now a regular Pastor for the deaf of the Calvary Baptist Church and a Bible Class is held every week. Rev. Bryant's sermon on Sunday evening, November 12th, was "The Willing Heart."

Mr. Yule, who was sent by the board of the Church to give a brief talk to the deaf congregation on the "tithe," and Mrs. Bryant interpreted for the deaf. Every deaf member of the church has to give their tithes yearly, as do the hearing members for the missions, expenses, etc.

There will be a dramatic entertainment at the Calvary Baptist Church Friday evening, December 9th, instead of December 10th, in honor of Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet's birthday. It is under the directorship of Mrs. Bryant. The players are talented and are now rehearsing. The admission will be free, and every one is invited to attend. Dr. Hall will give a lecture after a tableaux. Light refreshments will be served.

Miss Maude Seaton, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seaton, of Romney, West Virginia, is one of the Normals at the Gallaudet College.

The new officers of the Capitol Silent Athletic Club for the ensuing year are as follows: Gerald Ferguson, President; Morton W. Galloway, Manager; and Roger O. Scott, Secretary and Treasurer.

Just met Mrs. Mollie Elliott whose hearing husband is an inspector on the Potomac R.R. They have three grown children.

James Davidson and Roger Scott motored to Virginia two weeks ago on a pleasure trip.

Miss Virginia O'Neil, a product of the Kendall School, has a position at the Manhattan Laundry.

Harry Carr is a regular attendant at the Calvary Baptist Church. He is a first class wall paper hanger and has been at it for twenty-seven years.

John W. Blaine has been an employee for two years and half at the P. O. Department opposite the Union Depot, and Charles Keyser works in the Mail Bag Division.

The friends of Charles Gunner, of Seattle, are pleased of his prosperous life in the west, and also that J. E. Gustin, of Seattle, recovers fully from his illness.

Mr. Bernstorff, who has an envied position in the government here, is contemplating on going to Detroit. It seems he favors (?) the zero weather, as Washington is always rather mild. The deaf elsewhere, who have positions, are urgently advised to stick to the job.

A Halloween Party was held at the College Saturday evening, October 28, and it was crowded and every one seemed to enjoy themselves.

The deaf here enjoy the Detroit letters to the JOURNAL.

Morton W. Galloway is a young man of good education, and a product of the Kendall School. He has an excellent position as a clerk in the department store of S. Kaun & Sons Co. - The S. Kaun Store seems one of the best wholesale and retail stores in town.

The writer chaperoned her daughter Violet, and the Misses Kelly and Grimes, to New York last week, and took in the Army and Navy game.

MRS. C. C. COLBY  
1647 Lamont N. W.

## OREGON-WASHINGTON.

The women of the W. S. S. D. gave a party Monday, in honor of Mrs. Louis R. Divine. As Maybelle Martin, she was the Domestic Science instructor, and very popular.

Mr. William McCullough, of Weir City, Kansas, in the land of zinc, lead, coal and natural gas, bumped into the northwest on the bumpers. He worked in a woolen mill in Wisconsin and got fired for fighting. Later he worked in Leavenworth and Wenatchee, Washington, in the apple harvest. As the Meagher's, C. L. Jackson, and other JOURNAL correspondents say, "a rolling stone gathers no moss." The mule jumps or smashes through the fence into the adjoining pasture to find no better or worse forage, but he does return. He tries the pasture further on and finally comes back to the home feed lot for the alfalfa and oats or corn. So the hobo usually comes back to his first stamping ground for the meal and shelter he knows are waiting for him. His experience with the cold, unsympathetic, world has taught him the value of thrift and steady work sometimes too late.

I now reiterate: The unemployment situation on this coast is not much better than in the east. On the contrary some places in the east offer better inducements to the hobo. We will be very glad to welcome you if you have the \$\$\$ to buy a home or to keep yourself going. But the jobs here now are not enough to take all of us.

Bryan Wilson passed through here on his way to McMinnville to visit his sister. He called at the W. S. S. D.

Andy Gannon has won the suit against a truck driver for damage to his Metz Bag. He now expects to rejuvenate the aforesaid Bag and to take out his friends a joy riding.

Arthur and Edward Martin are back in Seattle from working in the apple harvest in Wenatchee.

The weather has been so mild this fall, flowers are in their very best growth and color. Second crop raspberries are coming in. Tomatoes are still ripening. Peas are making another crop. Deciduous trees seem to change their mind, and refuse to shed their leaves. The grass is growing so thickly and heavily, the stock live practically all the time outdoors. And we read of freezes, snow storm, etc., in the east. If the proposed dam joining Newfoundland to the main land really will turn the Labrador current northward and allow the Gulf Stream to shift further to the west and north, warming up the Atlantic Coast, then the New Englanders will understand

what a Pacific Coast climate is in winter.

Had Columbus discovered America on the Pacific Coast and had settlement begun there, the east would now be thinly settled and the west would now be at the height of development. But the east is now appreciating the west and coming in droves. The great Atlantic Pacific Highways and Electric Exposition in 1925 will draw the whole world as a huge magnet into the paradise of the Pacific Coast. Our population per square mile is only 8 to 23, while we have seventy-five per cent of possible hydroelectric development. We also grow almost every thing worth having for beauty or utility or pleasure.

Anthony Kautz has about finished repairing, altering, renewing and painting his house. Being a finished carpenter with taste and ability, he has made over the old house into a modern home with up to the minute conveniences.

Professor Langlois has been doing landscape designing and planting. His success attests to the value of thorough scientific training coupled with native ability. It is not a year since he started in the florist business, and the returns are showing appreciation on the part of the buying public. Book larain' pays.

Vancouver took a big part in the parade in Portland for approval of a State tax for support of the 1925 Fair. A huge bell, with penetrating voice, was rung. The speller shouted, "This bell was brought around the Horn in 1835 by the Hudson Bay Company to Vancouver from England." But his enthusiasm got away with his wits, and he spluttered, "This horn was brought around the bell, etc!"

Confession is good for the soul. When one of the Portland forty admits, "we are boneheads and crazy," she reveals the true state of affairs.

Cortland Greenwald did not thrive on the hard work and indifferent cooking in the pear and apple harvest at Yakima. He is now painting the new house of the Reichles.

Faet. T. C. Mueller now keeps an umbrella over himself in the wet season.

Gallaudet Day will be celebrated in Portland with big doings. Each Gallaudet Collegian present will be expected to give a truthful account of his life there.

Seattle mutes have collected \$9000 for a new church building. It will be started next month.

Bad Hastings' boy had his ankle twisted in a foot ball game.

With mine own fingers have I picked raspberries from the plants on the Claire Reeves place, and the time was November 18th. Strawberries were ripe too, but the poultry turned loose beat me to them.

The silver thaw has come. The storm that has been general on the continent, brought a freeze in parts, a rain and cold that turned the rain into the silver thaw. It is a freezing of the moisture that turns the landscape into a fairy of silvery filigree ornament glistening in reflected light like millions of diamonds, but burdening the wires, branches, etc., so they break down. A heavy silver thaw sometimes ruins an entire orchard. California got a killing freeze while the north west got the rain and silver thaw.

The many friends of Miss Bessie Edgar, in the north west, deeply regret the terrible and unfortunate accident to her sister and send her their condolence.

The National Convention of the Grange was deeply impressed with the beauty, healthfulness, and productivity of the Pacific coast.

Oregon voted by more than four to one to tax itself for the 1925 Fair. My landlord speaks to me, By the same token he uses pad and pencil with the blind.

THEO. C. MUELLER.

Ephphatha Mission for the Deaf  
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## DENVER.

The Local Frats gave a "Hard Times Sock" party on November 19th. Quite a large crowd turned out, and a good time was reported by all who attended. Most of those who turned up didn't show any signs of hard times, as they were dressed in their Sunday best.

S. W. Harris, who came to Denver for his health, and then returned to his home State, Mississippi, is now in the State Sanatorium in that State, and is reported to be improving slowly. It is to be hoped he will ultimately recover his health.

Mrs. Ralph G. Connell is reported to be ill in a Denver hospital. Mr. Connell has a farm, some sixteen miles east of Denver.

Mr. Fred Bates, of Greeley, Colorado, was in Denver recently, buying cattle to feed the coming winter. Mr. Bates reported that he had 1500 sacks of potatoes in storage that he is holding for a better price.

From reports coming from Colorado Springs, the writer hears that the football team of the School for the Deaf is making quite a name for itself. It is to be regretted that this team never plays in Denver. It appears the Denver School teams are too heavy for them.

Mr. Frank W. Trisler has located in Denver for the present, and is planning to stay here if he can secure work. Like other places, work is scarce in Denver, but the deaf are fortunate as only two of them, as heretofore reported, lack work, and for this reason should feel doubly thankful.

The last meeting of the Card Club, November 26th, was held at the Collins home, and as this happened to be their fifth wedding anniversary, they were well remembered by their friends of the Card Club with a lot of useful and useless wooden contraptions too numerous to mention.

A hunting party, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Lansey, Mr. and Mrs. L. Alford and Bob Frewing, motored down to Parker, Col., in a Ford and a motorcycle, one day recently, and bagged an even dozen cottontails.

The Liberty Club has arranged for an impromptu banquet, December 10th, in honor of T. H. Gallaudet. As far as can be learned, there will be some speaking and other stunts put over that evening. Particulars later on.

December 31st, the Frats will hold a public installation of officers and Watch Night party.

From reports coming from the Western Slope we learn that J. H. Quinn has tried broncho busting already, only to find out that the ground was a softer spot to come down on than the back of a bucking broncho. He is now a sadder and wiser man, and to all invitations to ride he declines, with the statement, "he prefers to walk, as he gets more exercise out of it!"

Guy A. Rasey has gone down to Holly, Col., for a visit with friends.

A. L. Kent made a hunting trip to Brush recently, and reported his party had bagged twenty ducks and numerous rabbit. While there he says he stayed with the County Sheriff as his guest; we wonder if voluntarily?

Quite a number of the local sports attended the football game between the University of Colorado and the Mines. Football has shown increasing popularity in Denver this year.

F. A. Lessley is so busy painting and repainting his recently purchased home, that he has almost no time for anything else.

Nick Rodriguez, otherwise known as "Little Jeff," was out of town during the Thanksgiving holidays. Said he was visiting friends. We got our suspicions.

C. P. Jones is under the weather again, just averting an attack of pneumonia, and while he was recovering, along came old man asthma and knocked him down again. At last reports he was on the road to recovery.

Karl Knudsen is still reported on the sick list, although he is able to be up and around.

It will not be long before J. L. Harvat and family will be making their rounds in a "Baby Overland." A car is a mighty handy thing these days, especially in

Denver, where there are so many places of interest to go to. As it happens the best places are only accessible by auto and by foot, if one cares to walk that far, J. L. Harvat can feel that it's a grand and glorious feelin' to live in Denver.

The second child of T. H. Tansey fell from the running board of his flivver and broke its collar bone. As this is being written the child is much improved.

Ever on the alert for a change in his recreation, Bob Frewing returned forth on a trip of inspection of the ice at Washington Park. No sooner had he reached the park than he returned and was beating his way back to the ice as fast as the speed of his legs would warrant. This was on Sunday, November 20th, unusually early for this sort of recreation in Colorado. He remained on the ice until it began to break, when he narrowly escaped getting a cold November bath, but not until he had decorated the ice with many a figure.

DENVERITES.

## PITTSFIELD, MASS.

On October 15th, a surprise party was given to John J. Bedford at his home, 12 Pine Street, the occasion being his 60th birthday. He was presented with a handsome bath robe and other small articles. There were thirty-five of his friends present. Refreshments were served and all had a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon B. Small have closed their cottage at Pontoosne Lake for the winter and gone to live with Mrs. Small's mother on Linden Street. They had intended to go to Amsterdam, N. Y., to spend Thanksgiving with relatives, but their little son, Thuron, came down with the measles, so they had to abandon their plans.

Mr. and Mrs. Medor Jallivette, of 17 Kent Avenue, have gone to Malone, N. Y., on a visit with friends. Ernest Kinkle is home again. He has been on the road selling stock for Lander and Shean Devise Manufacturing Co., of Valley Stream, Long Island, N. Y., and said he had completed his work there.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gagnier left for Akron, Ohio, Monday, where Mrs. Gagnier and son will be the guest, of Mrs. E. Faas for the winter, though then Mr. Gagnier will go on the road selling stock for Lander and Shean Devise Co. They sold their home in North Adams, Mass., and stored their furniture away.

Mr. and Mrs. Sears, of Dalton, have broke up housekeeping and stored their furniture in Mills warehouse. Mrs. Sears and Miss Ethel have gone to Springfield, Mass., to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil, while Mr. Sears is touring Canada for Lander and Shean Devise Co., of Valley Stream, Long Island, N. Y.

Walter Pearson, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Risley, of 58 Burbank Street, has gone to Little River, Florida, to do carpenter work for some months. Three other fellows and he went by automobile, camping out nights in their army tents on the way.

C. S. Risley was in Utica, N. Y., on November 3d, to attend the funeral of his favorite cousin, a lawyer, E. H. Risley. He came home next day, so had no time to meet his deaf friends in Utica, N. Y.

The Risley residence, on 58 Burbank Street, has received a new coat of white paint and looks fine.

November 14th being the birthday of Mrs. Arthur Richter, of 17 Kent Avenue, a large number of her friends gave her a surprise party, and presented her with a nice silk and wool sweater. Games were played, refreshments served, and all had a fine time.

Thomas Muldowney, of Hudson, N. Y., was in this city recently to call on his friends over Sunday. He has had steady work all along. He told us about the death of Miss Eleanor Sagendorf, who used to be a pupil at the Rome, N. Y., school. Work at the General Electric plant is about the same as it was last winter, three and a half days a week.

Mr. Fred Packard, of North Adams, is raising guinea pigs, to sell to the doctors for testing dis-

eases. Fred and his wife often come down to our city to attend the Frats meetings.

On December 3d, the Frats will hold a banquet at the Bay State Hall, where their rooms are.

We were glad to hear the Hartford School for the Deaf will open with the New Year. There are several pupils in this city detained home on that account, among them are Glenn and Benita Edwards. Glenn has been busy most of his long vacation, doing odd jobs for the people.

Mrs. O. S. Risley's brother, Joseph B. Loucks, of Nankin, China, was married on September 3d, to Miss Mildred Hall McCoy, of Elizabeth, N. J. She went all the way to China, and they were married on her arrival in Shanghai at St. John's Episcopal Church by Bishop Graves. They have started housekeeping in a bungalow in Nankin. Mr. Loucks is manager of the Standard Oil Co., of New York, in China.

During the summer months John Trainor had an addition to his family, a little boy, named Howard, after Dr. Howard, their family physician. This is the fourth child. Three boys and one girl. Mrs. Trainor was formerly Miss Loretta Haught of New York City.

Mr. Theodore Ereoliani, who moved to Dalton recently, is working in the woolen mills there. His wife is visiting her people in Waterbury, Ct., with their little son, Teddy.

N. L. R.

## The Sultan's Ruby

One day as the sultan of Turkey was looking at his treasure he missed his wonderful ruby, which was worth half his kingdom. The sultan was very angry because he lost the ruby. He sent soldiers and pages all over, but they could not get any trace of it.

The king was greatly irritated, for he liked the gem better than any other of his jewels. Some months later he went on a journey and on the way had to cross a large desert. When he was about half way across they camped at a place that looked like an island on the desert.

They made camp, at their meals and went to sleep early that night, because they were tired from the long journey.

Next morning the sultan woke up before the others. He thought he would go and look at the place, so he dressed and started. He did not go very far when he came to a great cave. He hesitated a moment and then walked in.

As soon as he entered, the mouth of the cave closed and he was a prisoner.

He kept on walking, and to his amazement, he saw before him a huge door with a bell hanging from the roof beside it, with a rope tied to it, and underneath was a card on which was printed, "Ring this bell and wait." The sultan took hold of the rope and pulled it with all his might. The bell rang and echoed through the cave as if a thousand blacksmiths were pounding anvils with thousands of hammers.

Then a gruff voice answered, "What do you want and where did you come from?" The sultan looked around and saw a man clad in armor, who was twice as big as an ordinary man. The sultan looked through the door and saw great rooms with splendid tables made of gold and silver and set with diamonds and rubies.

"Who owns all the riches?" the sultan asked. "My master, the king of the desert," replied the slave. "Yes," said the sultan, "but how may I see him?" "I will bring him to you, if you promise not to touch anything you see."

The sultan promised and the slave led him through the halls and chambers until they came to a great hall, in which stood a great throne made of ivory and set with all kinds of gems, and gold and silver decorations. The walls were of white marble, and from the ceiling hung huge balls set with diamonds, which lighted the room and made it look like day.

The sultan could not believe his eyes when he saw all this, and from a chamber came a huge man with a long beard. The king asked him what he wanted. The sultan told him of his lost ruby and his journey.

The king nodded his head and exclaimed: "I know where your ruby is, but it is a long and dangerous journey." "How can I get it again?" the sultan asked. "I will tell you," said the king, "but there is one thing which you must not do, which is this: Take care of the rocky hills." The king gave the sultan a magic sabre which could cut through anything. "You may need this to recover your ruby," said the king.

The sultan thanked him for his kindness, and started. As he walked out of the cave entrance, he saw that all his courtiers and slaves had left him. All that remained was his horse, some clothing and some food. He ate and filled the bottle with water and, getting on his horse, started his journey. The sun was high in the heavens and it was hotter than he expected. He traveled all day until he came to some sand hills. Then he ate the rest of his food and fell asleep.

When he woke up the moon was shining brightly. He got up and looked for his horse, but could not find him anywhere. Then he saw something moving far in the distance. He picked up his bottle of water and stated to follow the object. He was unable to catch up, though when he would stop, the object stopped too. Finally he became exhausted and, drinking the rest of his water, lay down and fell asleep.

About midnight he again woke up and resumed his journey. After walking about ten miles he came in sight of the rocky hills. He hastened his steps, and late in the evening reached the great hills covered with huge rock, and stones and little trees here and there. A little further on he saw a great stone building. He thought, "I will go and see it tomorrow morning." In the morning on awaking he heard strange voices and sweet music all around him, but could not see where they came from. He walked on toward the building and saw three maidens dancing and playing. He wanted to ask them who owned the building, but remembered the king's warning. The maidens gave him flowers and tried to make him talk, but he would not speak to them.

Soon he came to the great gate. It opened to him and he walked in. A little way from the gate stood an old man with a long beard which almost reached the ground.

The old man told him of a large beast in the building which was part lion and part bull. It had a horn made of the strongest steel, and sharp as a sabre. The beast could not be killed until the horn was cut off. After the beast had been killed, the sultan was to go to the largest door he could find, in the room was a box, and in the box was the ruby. "But," continued the old man, "do not touch anything or you will surely die."

The sultan took the old man's advice. Opening the door he walked in, and saw the great beast sitting at the table eating his supper. The beast immediately rushed at him, and after a terrible fight lasting nearly two hours, he succeeded in cutting off the horn and then killed the beast. Then he soon found the box and recovered the ruby. He then went through another door, which led to a dungeon, which on opening, he found held all his servants. He let them out, and they started on their way home.—Selected.

## ALL SOULS' CHURCH FOR THE DEAF

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Evening Prayer—Every Sunday except the third, 3:00 P. M.

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Pastoral Aid Society—Every Thursday afternoon.

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To the humblest and the weakest  
Near the all-seeing hand,  
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And they are slaves most base,  
Whose love of right is for themselves,  
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THE subjoined "appeal" is printed at request of Dr. Edward Allen Fay. It is addressed to the teachers and pupils of Schools for the Deaf, and no doubt each school will take up a collection for the cause so piteously presented and send to Dr. Fay. If any of our readers feel inclined to aid these starving teachers of the deaf in Vienna, they should send their contributions direct to Dr. E. A. Fay, Gallaudet College, Washington, D. C.

### AN APPEAL.

GALLAUDET COLLEGE,  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 28, 1921.

To the Teachers and Pupils of American  
Schools for the Deaf.

DEAR FRIENDS:—I have received an piteous appeal from Mr. K. B. Beldria, Director of the School for the Deaf at Wiener-Neustadt, a suburb of Vienna, and the five teachers of that School who are married. This is one of the Schools whose teachers we helped through the hard times of last year. The letter is addressed to me, but it is intended for you. It is too long to quote in full; here is the substance of it:

Our want and misery are greater than ever! This is due to the high cost of living—you in America know what that means—but chiefly to the frightful depreciation of our currency which you happily have not known. Before the war our monthly salaries ranged from 300 to 400 kronen (\$60 to \$80); now we receive many more kronen, but their value is only \$5 to \$6 a month. From time to time we have sold our cherished pieces of furniture to obtain food for ourselves, our wives and children; now we have nothing left, and starvation stares us in the face. Do not think us shameless if we again ask you help!

There are four other schools for the deaf in Vienna. Their teachers have not asked us for help this year, but doubtless they are in the same condition as those of the Wiener-Neustadt School. Probably we should not like to help one school without helping the others also. Most of you contributed generously last year for the relief of the Austrian and Hungarian schools (the total value of the food we sent them was \$1,450), and did not expect to call on you again. I hate to do it now, but my conscience does not allow me to keep this appeal to myself.

Prompt action is desirable.

President Hall kindly offers to have this letter printed for me and send it out. Faithfully yours,

E. A. FAY.

REV. JOHN H. KENT has been quite sick for a week, and by the advice of his physician, x-ray photographs of his stomach were made at St. Luke's Hospital. The case was diagnosed as ulcer of the duodenum. He is now undergoing medical treatment, which is expected to eliminate the trouble without a surgical operation. Rev. Mr. Kent is doing such a wonderful work at St. Ann's Church that the loss of his services, for even a short time, would be a deprivation to his parishioners and would slow up the activities of the

Church Mission to Deaf Mutes. Happily the trouble does not confine him to his bed, though it is an inconvenience when meeting the diversified and insistent duties of his sacred office. We hope to write of his complete recovery in a week or two.

## CHICAGO.

Wondra-managed, as well as Wondra-acted was "Old School days" given in the Sac, November 26th, preceded by a vaudeville skit between Joe Wondra and Miss Hertzberg. Some really clever acting was enjoyed, but where—oh, where—was the crowd?

Miss Alice Donahue was school-ma'am, others in the cast being Mrs. Craig, trouble maker, Mrs. Small, "poor little rich girl," Miss Hertzberg, tattletale; Mrs. Meagher, Sis Hopkins; Joe Wondra, Simple Simon; Ward Small, mischief maker; George Brashar, country yokel; Edward Rowse, dunce; and Ernest Craig, angel child. An original song, with an original chorus, rendered in an original catchy rhythm, brought down the house.

The same night Wm. LaMotte managed a "Rag-time" party at the Pas. It also suffered from a small attendance. Where, oh, where was my wondering boy that night? The Wm. Borinstens won both first prizes, \$3 each.

Mrs. Phillip O'Reilly, Minneapolis, spent a week renewing old friendships here—her old home—en route west from a protracted stay in Akron, where she was summoned when her brother, David O'Connor, was killed by the Akron Interurban, shortly before he would have graduated from the Goodyear Flying Squadron. David—who never set the world on fire when living here—in some six years at Goodyear managed to accumulate several thousand dollars in realty, stocks, cash, and life insurance. Most of it the children decided goes to David's aged parents.

Mrs. Reilly (Ida O'Connor) is much like the dead David—happy-go-lucky, large-hearted, always ready with smile and cheerful word. One of the typical Irish, God bless 'em.

The Sac has just sold another pool table. When the property was purchased nearly three years ago, it had three or four pool and three billiard tables. The pool tables were in constant use, while the billiard equipment idle. Little by little the more refined and "high-brow" game of billiards picked up, until now conditions are reserved and billiards has the call, to the detriment of pool. V. Hardeen, an oralist, is by far their best billiardist, making runs of 20 or more frequently. Washington Barrow, the old ex-Grand Treasurer, comes in second, although there are a dozen relatively good men pressing him close.

The other night saw four notables, Roberts, Rowse, Craig and Hinch, playing on one billiard table, while Barrow and Buell chalked cues at the one adjoining. Just about a bunch of hot pollos, or youngsters who have not yet won their spurs in the world, were shooting pool. Democracy personified. In a way that Sac is a great institution.

Francis P. Gibson, Grand Secretary of the Frats, accompanied by his wife, left November 25th on an extended tour of the South. Their immediate destination is Texas, where the parents of a frater, killed while walking on the railroad tracks, brought suit to compel payment of his policy and nullification of the clause in our constitution and by-laws, which classifies that, along with suicide, as voiding one's policy. Those who saw Charles Ray in the movie, "A Midnight Bell," noticed a cut-in of one of the bandits using finger language. In one scene the bandit, face hidden, spells "She has gone home," while later he places his hand behind his back and spells "Get her now." This turns out to have been a former Chicagoan—Melville Mathews, once of Frat headquarters.

Those movie men, in their boasted search for realism, have finally gotten around to ringing in real deaf and real spelling, instead of the absurd hocus-pocus hand-waving heretofore signifying deafness—the most conspicuous recent example being David W. Griffith's "Dream Street."

The burglars were all played by hearing characters. Mathews is simply "double" for one of the burglars in a couple of scenes—the work of ten minutes, all told, for which he received several dollars and a meal in the movie cafeteria, with a lot of made-up cowboys, chorus girls, and other movie luminaries. This makes the third silent to appear in Los Angeles—made pictures to my knowledge—the others being Granville Redmond (in Chaplin's "Dog's Life") and Miss Throckmorton (Mrs. Albert Hole) back in 1915.

Thirty-six years ago the Rev. P. J. Hasenstab played on the Gallaudet College football team. From that day to this he never saw a game until his daughters—Constance, a senior in the U. of C., and Beatrice,

coming up from a Woman's College near the University of Illinois—Chicago conflict November 12th. The worthy parson found it somewhat difficult to recognize the past-time, flying wedges and pile-on mass-plays being replaced by the forward passes of a basketball. "Time changes all things," and football of tomorrow may excel the game of today as ours excels the game of Hasenstab's period—before knee pads and headguards were invented, when players formed one unrecognizable mass instead of being deployed in spectacular battle-formations as at present.

The Silent A. C. lads started a football team late in the season, but disbanded before playing any match games. Wise decision; football is not a game for those who can not undergo daily hardening, and most specially not for those over twenty-five years. "Young bones bend, old bones break," as was proven when some once-formidable Goodyearites tried to stage a come-back.

By winning the interest of prominent personages, those oralists are enabled to persuade the press that even ordinary happenings are "news"—as witness the following under the likeness of a handsome boy scout in the *Evening American* of the third inst.

"Deaf, But, Oh My!—Ellsworth Davis is a smart lad. Born deaf, he graduated with highest honors from the Polytechnic High School, earned a medal as a record seller of Liberty Bonds and savings stamps during the war, and attended the Mary McCowan School for the Deaf for nine years."

Mrs. Harrison Leiter, on the sick list, sojourned a week with Harry's mother in Maywood.

Mrs. Isadore Newman and children spent a week's visit with her mother on the West Side.

Joseph Bornstein, a frat, died of acute indigestion in Hammond, Indiana, November 29th, interment the following day. Left a wife and two children.

Herman Kohn, a former Chicagoan, has been located in Washington, D. C.

What ought to be one of the big entertainment stunts of the year is the Christmas night blow-out at the Sac, managed by Joe Wondra himself. Everybody welcome. Other dates ahead: December 17th—Lecture at Pas, A. L. Roberts, formerly Principal of Kendall School, Washington, D. C. Bazaar, by Ladies of Sac. 24th—All Angels Christmas tree, children at 3; adults at 8. 25th—Christmas trees at both Sac and Pas 31—Something doing at the Sac.

### THE MEAGHERS.

### DUMB MAN WON'T TALK.

There is a motto at the State School for the Deaf that says, "The Deaf Never Beg." Last Saturday a young man appeared in Guy Bennett's store and after a few signs handed him a subscription list which bore the signatures of some 15 Vancouver business men, each donating from 50 cents upwards to \$2.00 for the purpose, as was stated in a paragraph at the top of the list, to set the deaf young man up in business so he could make a living in Vancouver.

Bennett knew the motto and called up George Lloyd, superintendent of the deaf school, and told him he understood the deaf never beg. The superintendent emphatically said they did not, and Bennett replied that if he would come to his store he would find an instance to the contrary.

In a few minutes Mr. Lloyd and a teacher from the school appeared and began examining the man. They tried all the usual tests for the deaf. Mr. Lloyd explained that there is seldom a person who is completely deaf, that there are many who can hear very loud noises, and that most of them can hear a hand-clap back of their heads, and that vibrations caused by stamping the feet on the floor can often be detected.

Both of these tests were tried on the young man and he gave no evidence of noticing them. The police were called and they used all their skill to make the man hear, but their efforts were unavailing.

One of the things that made the men from the school suspicious was that while the man claimed to be deaf he used the sign language very slowly, and with none of the rapid movements of the fingers which characterize the usual deaf adult. This man spelled his words as though he had to think before forming each letter.

At handwriting he seemed very proficient, and there was no fault noticed with his personal appearance or his dress. After their unsuccessful tests, the police allowed the man 15 minutes to absent himself from town.—*Vancouver Columbian*.

### MARRIED.

### PURDUM-JACKSON.

Mr. John E. Purdum, of Chicago, and Miss Doris F. Jackson, of St. Louis, were united in marriage at the Bozinger Chapel of St. Thomas' Mission, St. Louis, Wednesday evening, November 30th, the Rev. Dr. James H. Cloud officiating.

## LOS ANGELES.

Much interest is manifested by the city in the discussion of the Disarmament Conference, which met at Washington, D. C., last Saturday, to lay arms in a permanent peace. It seems to be getting along as smoothly as possible, and it is to be hoped that the program as mapped out by Secretary Hughes will be agreed to by all nations represented.

The coming of Marshal Foch, the famous French hero, to our city, is looked forward to with great interest. The city has just started preparations for the greatest reception to be given to the French general that Los Angeles ever had. No doubt a great crowd will turn out to get a glimpse of him in the parade.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hultene have sold their bungalow at No. 1473 West 37th Place. They with their parents are taking a suite of furnished housekeeping rooms, at 416 East 16th Street, until they move into a new residence, which Mr. Hultene is soon to build on Burek Place, near West Tenth Street.

The newly organized baseball team of the Athletic Deaf is under way, having joined the Southern California Basketball Manager's Association for booking through the winter; just think of it—playing ball through the winter, while the East is kept busy shoveling snow off the walks. A piteous life way back there, we should say. The team is equipped with new uniforms, which are attractive, with poppy emblems on the left sleeve, and the paraphernalia consists of fifteen bats, gloves, shin guards, chest protector and mask. As soon as winter league closes, the A. C. D. intends to tour nearby cities every Sunday afternoon. The demand for games outside already bears attention, for the manager is in receipt of two offers that will have places on the schedule. Though it has only started a short time ago, the team is fast developing into a crack team, and in the future will turn the tables upon the northern deaf, but not forgetting their defeat at the hands of the team here.

A very gay affair was a grand bazaar, which was planned by the Sunny Side Club at Walker Auditorium, on the evening of the 12th inst. Much surprise at the great crowd at the bazaar was expressed by the club, before finding out that almost all the members of L. A. Silent Club turned out to attend it, leaving their hall dark. A handsome sum was collected from all the concessions of the bazaar, proving a howling success. Much credit is due to Chairman Burton and his committee for the success of the event.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keit entertained a wedding shower at their residence last week, complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Clements, who were recently married. The young couple received many nice presents from their friends there.

In honor of their guest, Mrs. Nettie Woolverton, formerly of Texas but now of Fresno, Mr. and Mrs. O. Smith entertained a very pleasant party at their home on the evening of the 10th inst. Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Owen, of Arkansas, shared honors with the guest. Mr. Owen and Mrs. Smith were old classmates at Arkansas, and had not met for twenty-three years. Some excellent games were given by both Mrs. Owen and E. Price, until the serving of refreshments was ready.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Owen are sojourning in Southern California for the winter; both hail from Arkansas and have already struck old as well as new acquaintances. They have two deaf sons, one of them attending school at Berkeley, besides a boy-baby. Mrs. Owen used to be an athletic instructor at the Arkansas School for the Deaf before she was married.

Mrs. N. Woolverton has been in Los Angeles visiting with Mrs. O. Smith for some time, and expects to remain longer. Her husband joined her a few days ago, coming from Fresno. They both used to attend the Texas School for the Deaf. They are thinking of locating near here permanently, instead of at the northern town.

Mrs. W. E. Gore has returned home to Milbrae after six weeks' pleasant visit. She has been lavishly entertained during her visit. Her only old schoolmate she was very glad to meet, after a very long separation, is ye scribe.

Friends of Miss Nadine Layond and Mr. Anello D. Ruggero, who hailed from Gotham, will be pleased to learn that they are enjoying the Southern California climate so much that they seem to be quite forgetting about their former place.

Mr. A. D. Ruggero has the distinction of being the only deaf in the city that is working in the main post office. Isn't Gotham proud of him?

Mr. Dudley Tate, bailing from New Orleans, claims that there is no place like Los Angeles, and has therefore made it his permanent home. His service at carpentering has been demanded since he came here. He was educated at the Louisiana School for the Deaf. While enjoying his long vacation he chanced to snap a very agreeable

position uptown, and cut the vacation short and went right to work. The position is much better than the old one he had before.

Those in Chicago and other cities who know Mr. Douglas Mitchellson, will be pleased to know that he and his family are getting along as comfortably as possible, and that he has two daughters and one son, all being grown-up, and that he runs a shoe-shop of his own on South Hope Street, near Eighth Street. He is a much changed man, and is a member of the local Division, No. 27, and also of both clubs.

E. M. PRICE.

### READING, PA.

A wedding of interest to local folks was that of Mr. Eli Shirk, of Reading, and Miss Ruth Marshall, of Wilmington. Both were educated at Mt. Airy. They will live in Reading, and have the best wishes of the local mutes.

Mr. Paul Albert and Mr. Elmer Eby spent a few days in Harrisburg, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ritchie. Mr. Albert caused a lot of amusement by wearing his uniform, a relic of his Mt. Airy school days.

The local Frats, No. 54, held a masquerade November 13th, which was well attended. Prizes for best costumes were awarded to Mrs. Ella Williams, Miss Freda Williams, and Mr. Edgar Hoshanor.

A joint Halloween and birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. David Tobias. She was the recipient of beautiful gifts. Some of the costumes were extremely funny and caused much laughter, especially Mr. Cashmiers, attired as a woman with a tiny baby, and Paul Albert and Elmer Eby, as paupers trying to sell an old wash machine.

At the annual election of the P. S. A. D. Local Branch, the following were elected to serve the coming year: President, Paul Albert; Vice-President, Mrs. C. D. Parlan; Secretary, John Wise; Treasurer, Hannah Ahrens.

Mr. Samuel Chambers, special representative for the Pennsylvania School at Mt. Airy, has been spending some time in this vicinity. He visited several local industries, where a number of deaf are employed, and in every instance received excellent reports on the work and ability of the deaf employees.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Shirk spent a few days at the former's home in Churchtown, Lancaster County, where they were tendered a dinner and reception in honor of their recent marriage.

Mr. Harry Sommers, who has been ill with typhoid fever at the home of his mother in Lancaster, is very much improved and expects to be back among his friends here in a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Williams have been entertaining the latter's father from Philadelphia for several weeks. He also attended the Frat Masquerade.

Mrs. David Tobias and Mrs. C. D. Parlan spent a few days in Philadelphia, where they took in the Thanksgiving play at All Souls' Church.

Mr. Paul Gromis has been playing football with the Hamburg team. He hurt his ankle recently, but is again back on the gridiron.

A fire which might have proved serious was discovered by a policeman in the shoemaker shop of Mr. George Scales. He broke open the door and carried out a burning box of refuse.

Rex, the Greenburg scribe, expects to make a journey to Warsaw, Ind., to spend his annual Christmas vacation with his brother and family. He may find it advantageous to take a run to Chicago, where he will enjoy a view of that great Western City, prior to his returning to dear old Pennsylvania.

### Diocese of Maryland.

Rev. O. J. WHILDEN, General Missionary,  
3100 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md.

Baltimore—Grace Mission, Grace and St. Peter's Church, Park Ave. and Monument St.

SERVICES.  
First Sunday, Holy Communion and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.  
Second Sunday, Evening Prayer and Address, 8:15 P.M.  
Third Sunday, Evening Prayer and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.  
Fourth Sunday, Litany, or Ante-Communion and Sermon, 8:15 P.M.  
Fifth Sunday, Ante-Communion and Catechism, 8:15 P.M.  
Bible Class Meetings, every Sunday except the First, 4:30 P.M.  
Guild and other Meetings, every Friday, except during July and August, 8 P.M.  
Frederick—St. Paul's Mission, All Saints' Church, Second Sunday, 11 A.M.  
Hagerstown—St. Thomas' Mission, St. John's Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.  
Camden—St. Timothy's Mission, Emmanuel Church, Second Sunday, 8 P.M.  
Other Places by Appointment.

### Pittsburgh Reformed Presbyterian Church.

Eighth St., between Penn Avenue and Duquesne Way.

Rev. T. H. ACHERON, Pastor.  
Mrs. J. M. KEITH, Mute Interpreter

Sabbath School—2 P.M.  
Sermon—3 P.M.  
Christian Endeavor—4:15 P.M.  
Everybody Welcome.

## OMAHA.

On Saturday night, October 22d, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hazel entertained twenty of their friends at a jolly little Bunco party in the parlors of the Nebraska School. There were five tables and seventeen games were played. Albert Krohn won the gent's prize with Miss Horn carrying off the ladies' prize. Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Treuke won second honors respectively, and the consolations went to Miss Tena Anderson and O. H. Blanchard. The prizes they received caused a lot of merriment. At the close, plenty of delicious ice-cream and cake were served. Mr. and Mrs. H. Zel proved themselves congenial and versatile entertainers, and we hope they will decide to stay here permanently.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Schuyler Long, after having sold their "tin Lizzie" in California, have become restless during the long trip to town from the Iowa School, so finally bought a brand new Dodge touring car. They have already found that they can not very well get long without a car and go wherever they please. They are anticipating another long trip west next summer.

The Mid-West Chapter of the G. C. A. A. was entertained at the Iowa School, Saturday evening, November 12th, by Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dobson and Mrs. J. Schuyler Long. It was a literary meeting and a large crowd turned out. Following is the program:—

The Disarmament Congress, Dr. J. S. Long  
The Irish Question—Wm. L. It and the Answer—Mr. Tom L. Anderson  
The Labor Situation—Mr. Scott Cascon  
Latest Scientific Discoveries and Inventions—Mr. O. H. Blanchard  
Chicago as a Seaport—Mr. Leo R. Holway

A sumptuous spread of doughnuts, coffee, apples, salted peanuts, ice-cream and cake followed, in the teachers' dining-room. The orators did justice to their subjects, which proved interesting and instructive.

In the afternoon, a game of football was pulled off between the Iowa and Nebraska boys, and proved a thriller from start to finish. The first game the Iowa School ever played was with the Modale, Ia., High School, when they defeated the Modales by 13 to 6, the week previous. The score between the Iowa and Nebraska team was a tie, 13 to 13. That afternoon the Gallaudet O. W. L. S. met at the Iowa School, the guests of Mrs. Tom L. Anderson, after the football game, to piece a quilt they will raffle later.

Sunday, October 16th, was the 63d birthday of B. F. Marshall, of York, Neb. A number of his friends came in autos to help make the day an enjoyable one. His friends from Lincoln chipped in and got him an aluminum tea-kettle, his good frau gave him a safety razor, his hearing daughter, Miss Emma Marshall, gave him a book, and Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Osmon, of Stromberg, Neb., a pair of cuff links. They had such a sumptuous spread that the table creaked from the load of goodies. Those present besides the host and hostess were: Messrs. and Mesdames Chowins, L. M. Noah, Holland, Ziba Osmon, Misses Noah, Emma Marshall, Messrs. Fred Lee, and Wilbur Stiecher. Every one had a dandy time.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Rodda celebrated their twentieth wedding anniversary at their home in Benson, Sunday afternoon, October 2d. They were rather surprised, as the affair was engineered by Mr. and Mrs. August Gutting. They received a number of beautiful and useful gifts, and the guests, some twenty-five in all, brought along various kinds of edibles, which turned into a sumptuous feast. Mr. Rodda passed the cigars around to the boys. Two dolls in the center of the table had long strings attached to them with pennies at the other end, twenty of them at Mr. Rodda's plate and twenty at Mrs. Rodda's. A very pleasant time was reported.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Long, Wednesday afternoon, November 30th. Seven ladies were present and "quilted a quilt" and also "chewed the rag." Sandwiches, cheese, pickles, jello and coffee were served.

The Halloween party given by the Omaha Frats, under the committee of Messrs. Robert G. Brown, Barney Brown and David Ekstrom, October 29th, was a success, both financially and socially. Prizes for the best costumes appropriate the occasion were won by Miss Stacia Kuta and Riley E. Anthony. The second prizes were given to Mrs. Richard Bingham and George Anthony. While Helen Bingham won the children's prize. Nearly 70 were present.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Long and children and James R. Jelinek were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Scott Cascon, Friday, November 4th, at a prettily appointed six o'clock dinner. The "Newlyweds" proved themselves charming entertainers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Ormas entertained Mr. and Mrs. John O'Brien at Thanksgiving dinner, while Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Treuke shared theirs with Mr. Treuke's parents.

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## BOSTON, MASS.

Nov. 12th, the Frats gave a party for the Building Fund of the Home and made a success of about \$40.

The L. A. Whist Party was held on November 19th, at Mrs. Kornblum's residence, 25 Crowell Street. About fifty deaf attended. Forty dollars was made, and prizes went to Miss Awde and Mr. Rock, and booby to Mrs. Haynes and Mr. Breese.

Mr. and Mrs. Breese made their first visit to any deaf parties, and hope to continue. They came from New Jersey.

December 9th, a play will be given at the Trinity Church for the Deaf. Admission, thirty five cents.

December 10th, the Deaf Fair will be held at the New England Home for Infirm and Aged Deaf. Admission, ten cents. Supper on sale.

The Social Welfare of the Jewish Deaf opened their Friday Services on Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury, and will continue. The S. W. J. D. will hold their meeting at 6 Intervale Street, Roxbury, on December 18th. December 25th, the S. W. J. D. will give a Chanuka Party at 43 Allen Street, Boston.

Horace Mann Benevolent Association changed its name to Massachusetts Benevolent Association of the Deaf. They will give their first Ball in February under the new name.

The L. A. regular meeting is scheduled for December 7th, at Mrs. L. Clark, 21 Mellon Street, Dorchester. Sewing in the morning and hot lunch will be served and meeting held in the afternoon.

The Camp Fire Girls gave a Fair Saturday, December 3d, at Upham's Corner.

Mrs. Morris Miller gave birth to a daughter, named Rose Miller, October 11th.

Mrs. Lawrence Harris gave birth to a 10 pound daughter, November 16th.

Mr. William Gill, of West Roxbury, had an operation on his tonsils recently.

Miss Kate Williams, a teacher of the Horace Mann School, gave her resignation on November 1st, having served fifty years. Many will miss her, as she has been very faithful to our deaf.

Miss Mabel Adams is the principal of that School at present.

Mr. Zerwick's two daughters are back at Hartford School. Many pupils, of Boston, are back to that school, after three months waiting.

December 30th, the Frats will give a dance at Huntington Chambers.

Miss Lufferty is confined to her bed with rheumatism, and so is Miss Emerson, at the Home. Miss Lufferty is eight-three years old and looks to be about fifty.

The men are digging and shoveling earth and rocks from the cellar of the hall, to make room for social parties at the Home annex. The workers are Messrs. Nichols, Kornblum, Williams, Wood, Chapman, Berg, Mackerille, Donahue and few others.

F. K.

### CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF MUTES.

### NEW YORK DISTRICT.

St. Ann's Church, every Sunday, 9 A.M. and 3 P.M. Holy Communion 1st Sunday each month 3 P.M. and 2d Sunday each month 9 A.M.  
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Christ Church Cathedral, Thirteenth and Locust Streets, St. Louis, Mo.

Rev. James H. Cloud, M.A., D.D.,  
Priest-in-Charge.  
Mr. A. O. Steidemann, Lay Reader.  
Miss Hattie L. Deem, Sunday School Teacher.  
Sunday School at 9:30 A.M.  
Sunday Services at 10:45 A.M.  
Lectures, social and other events according to local annual program and special announcements at services.  
The deaf cordially invited.

### A Joke on Pat

Pat had died, and Mike, while seated with the rest of the mourners, burst into laughter. When he returned home, his wife said to him: "What was the idea of laughing at Pat's funeral?"

"Well, about two weeks ago, Pat told me he didn't believe in heaven or hell, and while I looked at him lying there so peacefully, it just came to me that he was all dressed up and no place to go."

An oil burning locomotive was recently used in England for the first time. The locomotive consumes only thirty pounds of oil a mile, using 700 pounds of oil to do the work of a ton of coal.



## NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

### ST ANN'S CHURCH FAIR

The announcement in last week's JOURNAL of a profit of \$400 made by All Angels' Church, Chicago, out of their annual bazaar, reminds the writer of the two 25-ton La France motor truck that backed up to St. Ann's Church Saturday night and carried off the \$800 cleared through our Annual Fair.

The Fair lasted three evenings—Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. The attendance was fair on each of these three evenings. The weather was the same. And so were the ladies, who planned, managed, and ran the enterprise—the ladies of St. Ann's parish, headed by Mrs. Chas. Bothner, chairman of arrangements.

The largest sum was amassed by the luncheon committee, which diverted three nights' income away from the well restaurants habitually patronized by those of the parishioners who dwell in apartments that lack kitchenette facilities. The next fastest was copped by the Rummage Booth, which realized the surprising amount of \$62.01 on the sale of cast-off clothing and odds and ends, donated by the public previous to the Fair. The candy booth—with Dentist Dr. Nies hovering over it to take mental note of promising results—made \$46.36 on the superiority of the sweet-tooth in its struggle against the pocket-book. The hot dogs and lemonade concession bid fair in the early stages of the Fair to dominate the occasion, but failed to keep up with the demand, and had to drop out of sight.

The booths and their committees were as follows:—

Fancy Articles—Mrs. Poorman; Mrs. Lefl.  
Aprons (Hand-embroidered and otherwise)—Mrs. Halsey; Mrs. Kinsey.  
Home-Made Candy—Misses Margaret and Eleanor Sherman; Miss Hunter.  
Rummage—Miss Barrager.  
Surprise Package—Mrs. McClusky; Miss Nettie Miller.  
Flowers and Box Candy—Mr. Wlemuth; Miss Makowska.  
Jelly and Cake—Mrs. Lounsbury; Mr. Keith Morris.  
Lemonade and Grape Juice—Mrs. Stern; Miss Eaton; Mrs. Mellis.  
Luncheon—Mrs. Rappolt; Mrs. McClelland; Mrs. Kent.  
Dolls—Miss Hall; Mrs. Lieberz; Miss Grossman.

The Fair owes its remarkable success this year to the untiring efforts of the committees, and especially of Mrs. Bothner, Chairman, who set out to break all records and did not stop until all records lay disintegrated and scattered on the cement floor of St. Ann's Parish Hall. There were others besides the officials of the affair, who volunteered their services and helped with the good work. For instance, the waitresses in the luncheon-room in the Assembly Room put on their very best powder and curls in order to help the Luncheon Committee attract all the customers in sight.

The success of Mrs. Bothner's efforts was doubly pleasing because of the unexpectedness of results. No one had hoped for near that much success this year, because of the wave of economy that is said to be tying the old stocking bank into hard knots these days. It does look as if the deaf know a worthy cause when they see it. Also, it does look as if Mrs. Bothner and the committeewomen knew how to make the Fair a worthy place for us to leave our money.

### XAVIER E. S. NOTES.

"Shucks! the weather is horrid!" remarked a petite young Ephphetan of the feminine sex, as she entered the "Casey" Institute over in Brooklyn, about 8 P. M., November 27th.

So you may wonder when we say near two hundred enthusiasts braved the elements to help the Xavier De l'Épée Society pay tribute to the memory of "The Father of the Deaf of the World."

President Sylvester Fogarty opened the oratory, giving way to "Mister" Jerry Fives, as permanent chairman. Like his name, Jerry exercised to the full the double "Fives" of his digits.

Recalling the days of his predecessor, the late Rev. M. R. McCarthy, S. J., Father Dalton was present. His smile beamed on all. He added to old friends quite a number of new ones. In his remarks, he said he considered the oral system had its merits; but for general use the Combined, or De l'Épée Method, appealed to him as the best suitable to the deaf.

Once again, as Chairman Fives remarked, an old but true friend was with us, and Dr. Thomas F. Fox, during the next quarter of an hour, had the audience gripped in a resume of the self-sacrificing and noble deeds of the Abbe. Comparing his life to that of St. Vincent De

Paul, Dr. Fox remarked their work was centered on the same end, without hope of earthly reward. Before concluding he convulsed all with an incident that showed the effects on a deaf child under instruction at Sunday School of teachers using the two opposing methods.

Then came Chairman Samuel Frankenheim of the N. A. D. Statue Committee, with a "movie" of the last De l'Épée Centenary in Paris. The Frankenheim reel was realistic, picturing men and things at the Congress of the World's Deaf. Optimism was his'n for the completion of the statue by the American deaf. But for the late World's War, Chairman Frankenheim opined we might have it completed by to day. As to the location of the Memorial, Sam couldn't help favoring his home town.

The photographer, who takes pictures atop the Trinity Building at Thames Street, was another old, but always welcome speaker—Alex L. Pach. Honest to goodness, Alexander stood out nobly for the greatest benefactor of the deaf. Pointedly he wanted to know where a petitioned half million of good American dollars would go, in the face of all the newspaper propaganda of the recall from oblivion of the deaf by the orators.

Miss Annie Keightly, blonde and pretty, almost kept her white kid gloves, on finding she held the lucky door prize—a Japanese demi-tasse set of twelve pieces.

Her namesake, Anna Hanlon, also blonde and pretty, captured the query contest with: "It improves with age," to the query "Why is the memory of De l'Épée like French Brandy?"

Billy Dramis, another prize winner, answered the query—"Why does a fireman wear red suspenders?" with "To hold up his pants."

Dr. Fox, Sam Frankenheim, and Lord Edwin were judges.

Rain or shine, Mr. J. F. O'Brien, director of preliminaries, has an optimistic outlook for next November Xavier De l'Épée's celebration being a hummer!

Unable to attend, Mr. Isaac Goldberg sent his check for five dollars, as a forfeit. Of course, everybody smiled at the announcement, and Treasurer Paul Murtangh honestly clapped his hands.

### CARUSO—BY WILLIAM LIPGENS.

Of all the commissions executed by that wonderful artist, William Lipgens, whose art productions are of such an unusual nature that there is no genuine name for it, none brought interest in execution than gave to a portrait of Enrico Caruso that has been sent for exhibition, first by the principal jewelry establishment in Rome, Italy, and later to be the center of a collection of similar objects, probably the Florence Museum.

The order for the work came to Mr. Lipgens through a Committee of distinguished Italian residents of New York, Madame Galli-Curci being prominent among the women members.

Only the precious metals were used, the portrait of Caruso being entirely in gold, and dressed in the character of Siegfried, in Wagner's Niebelungen Ring, though in making the portrait Mr. Lipgens used an ordinary photograph of Caruso for the face, and another for the costumed portion of the figure. There was absolutely no publicity in connection with this tribute from admirers of the great tenor, and even Lipgens, used as he is to working on treasures of the jeweler's art, with platinum, diamonds and other costly gems, worth entire fortunes, was amazed at the lavish expenditure on the Caruso testimonial.

For many years Mr. Lipgens' work was restricted to but one firm, America's leading jewellers, Tiffany & Co., but in the past year or so, orders have come to him from other firms and from other cities. Mr. Lipgens stands alone in his calling, no other man is able to portray the human face divine in the precious metals as Mr. Lipgens does.

A birthday party for Dave Derech was given on Friday evening, December 2d, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Lubin.

Quite a crowd assembled to help Dave celebrate the all-important day. Games were played, and the ladies' prize was captured by Anna Sweyd, while Hyman Gordon carried off the prize for men.

Thanks to the deft hands of Mrs. Lubin, the company assembled were able to enjoy a very dainty buffet supper, and, as we even had honest to goodness drinks with a real kick in 'em.

Music for dancing was furnished by little Alfred Lubin on his new music box.

For the success of the affair much thanks are due to both Mr. and Mrs. Lubin for permitting the party to be held in their home and for preparing the supper.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Lubin, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Kenner, Mr. and Mrs. O. Poland, Bessie Frey, Rebecca Champagne, Vera Hoffman, Rose Wax, Sara Kremen, Clara Sylvester, Florence Frankenthaler, Mary Westernhagen, Anna Sweyd, Mike Clavolino, Charles Sussman, Moses Schnapp, Max Hoffman, Julius Schudel,

Morris Kremen, Samuel Berch, H. Borgstrand, Dave Berch, Monae-esser, Hyman Gordon, M. Biao-witz, and C. Nesgood.

### H. A. D. NOTES.

Rev. A. J. Amateau spoke on "The Value of Religion" last Friday evening, December 2d. This Friday, Dr. Thos. F. Fox will be the speaker. All welcome.

An "Orange Social" was given by the Ladies' Committee under direction of Mrs. Henry Plapinger, on Sunday evening, December 4th. The decorations were in orange, and in keeping with the occasion, and nothing was consumed but Hedick's products, consisting of oranges, orange salad, orangeade and orange juice. Even the prizes for picking oranges with a teaspoon were baskets of oranges, won by Lena Hirson and H. Grossman. Lester J. Hyams also won a basket for guessing the nearest number of orange seeds in an orange jar.

This Sunday afternoon, December 11th, a meeting of the H. A. D. will be held. In the evening of same day Motion Pictures will be shown.

### The annual fall meeting

Greater New York Branch of the National Association of the Deaf was held at the New York Training School for Teachers, at West 119th Street, New York City, on Tuesday evening, November the 22d.

There was a very small attendance, sad to state, but the few who were present carried on the work with a will.

The usual proceedings were followed, and the reports of the various committees were approved.

Ways and means of enlarging the membership was discussed, and one method is about to be adopted, pending the final decision of the Executive Committee. Another was a motion that there be a meeting every three months. It was unanimously approved and passed.

There were some criticisms which were welcomed, for there is no progress without criticism.

The meeting was adjourned at about eleven o'clock—to meet again after three months.

Are you going to the N. A. D. banquet on December 10th, in honor of Thomas Hopkins Gallaudet?

Think—just think—of where we would be now, and if he had not brought the manual alphabet that helped to start the first school for the deaf and opened a happy and manual way for us deafs! Go and join the demonstrations of gratitude at the banquet.

Show the public that the deaf know when and how to express their gratitude.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lutheran Mission to the Deaf will hold a bazaar on Friday evening December 9th, and Saturday afternoon and evening December 10th, in the Parish House of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, 626 Bushwick Avenue, Brooklyn one block from Broadway and Myrtle Avenue. The ladies have been very busy making pretty articles and soliciting donations. They feel sure that visitors will find something that will appeal to them. There will be eight booths prettily decorated, where the following articles will be for sale: fancy articles, towels, handkerchiefs, candy, baby articles, post cards, stationery, and groceries. Supper will be served at a nominal price to accommodate our friends and patrons. Things will be sold reasonably and the proceeds will go to a good cause.

Right here we wish to avail ourselves of the opportunity of thanking the many good folks who have responded so generously to our appeal for a donation, and also the men of the Mission who are so ably assisting the ladies.

Don't forget the date and the place, December 9th and 10th, Parish House of St. Mark's, 626 Bushwick Avenue, Brooklyn.

A big brilliant party, given by Mrs. Maud Greepe in honor of Mr. Hyman Metzger, for his birthday, was held at the home of Mrs. Mollie Mayers (nee Rosenberg), 976 Kelly Street, Bronx, on Saturday evening, November 26th.

Mrs. Greepe presented him a beautiful stick-pin with diamond, and he received many beautiful presents from other friends. He said he was very much pleased to have the good evening given by his friends, because it was the first time since his childhood. He looks as if he were now twenty-five years old, but he is already forty-six years old. He is still active in athletics.

Greater New York Division, No. 23, N. F. S. D., held election of officers for the ensuing year, with the following results: Allen Hitchcock, President; Lincoln C. Schindler, Vice-President; Dennis A. Hanley, Secretary (re-elected);

Erich M. Berg, Treasurer; Adolph Berg, Director (re-elected); Solomon E. Paebter, Sergeant-at-Arms; Trustees—A. Harneiman, Chairman, Hyacinth Dramis, Jacob Landau.

The deaf who attended the Reading, given by Mr. John N. Funk, at the Parish House Assembly Room of St. Ann's, last Saturday evening, enjoyed a very interesting hour and a half. Mr. Funk's topic was taken from one of Rider Haggard's books and was quite thrilling at frequent periods, and was delivered in clear and forceful signs.

Many new Yorkers are wondering at the sudden disappearance of Mrs. Manuie Kaminsky (nee Sarah Pusrin). She is spending her two weeks' vacation in Washington, D. C. She has been escorted around by her sister, Belle Pusrin, now a student at Gallaudet College. Mr. Manuie Kaminsky will follow her some day this week, and they will be back home next week.

Mrs. Julia Will, of Easton Pa., accompanied by her son William Will, who is at the head of his own general engineering plant at 45 Astor Street, Newark, N. J., and her sister, Miss Sue H. Welch, spent a day in New York last week calling on old friends.

Miss Zelda Bornstein is now enjoying a two weeks' vacation from her daily toil of lace-making. On Wednesday, in company with her chum, Miss Ida Katz, she visited her Alma Mater—Fawcett—and incidentally didn't forget to call in the JOURNAL office and see the boys handling type with skill and celerity.

At the Society for the Welfare of the Jewish Deaf, 40 West 115th Street, on Friday evening, December 9th, Dr. Fox is scheduled to address the deaf. His subject is entitled "Steadfast and True."

The basket ball Quintet of the Lexington School was quite easily beaten by the College Settlement Five, by the score of 37 to 17.

Mrs. Emily Bryan, who was taken to St. Luke's Hospital a couple of weeks ago, is getting well after operation for appendicitis.

## PHILADELPHIA.

News items for this column should be sent to James S. Reider, 1338 North Dover Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Hon. John Wanamaker, one of Philadelphia's foremost citizens and greatest merchant, is also an ardent churchman. His church, Bethany Presbyterian Church, in which he is leading man, is one of the most active churches of any denomination in the whole city, because of his active personal interest in its affairs. He has for many years been the active Superintendent of Bethany Sunday School, which is undoubtedly the largest school in Philadelphia. But for all that, and without intending in the least to belittle the personal magnetism of the great merchant and church worker, we think that the secret of Bethany Church's great success and large following is mostly due to the church's many activities and rallies. We may learn from these facts that the church that continually rallies its members is the one that succeeds most. But it is not our intention to speak here about church attendance or lack of it, but only to note how one of our deaf people has long since been taking interest in Bethany's inspiring activities. This person is Mr. James L. Patterson. Lest his motive be misunderstood, we should say that his sister is connected with the church, and going there once with her, he found it so interesting that he attends most of its activities now. Some of the most recent activities which Mr. Patterson attended, and of which he speaks in enthusiastic terms were Grand Rally Day, Sunday School Rally, Better Citizens Rally, Fiftieth Anniversary Rally of the Presbyterian Hospital, and the twenty-fifth anniversary Rally of the Bethany Brotherhood, all in close succession. No wonder that Mr. Patterson feels enthused over such a variety of events in Bethany Parish. Let us wish him all the happiness his own gain by attending them.

At the regular monthly meeting of Philadelphia Division, No. 30, N. F. S. D., on Friday evening, December 2d, the annual elections were held and resulted as follows: President, Harry E. Stevens; Vice-President, James Foster; Secretary, James F. Brady; Treasurer, Frank J. Kuhn; Director, Joseph V. Donohue; Trustee for three years, Elmer E. Scott; Sergeant-at-Arms, Israel Steer. The officers will be installed at the January meeting.

On Saturday evening, 3d of December, a meeting of All Souls' Social Club was held at All Souls' Parish House, when steps were taken to complete the organization. Officers were chosen as follows: President, Wilbur E. Dorworth; Vice-President, Edythe F. Dunner; Secretary, George H. Porter; and Treasurer, James H. Richards. Messrs. Harry E. Stevens, Arthur Fowler, and Jas. S. Reider were appointed to draft a set of rules for submission to the Club at its next meeting in January, 1922.

Mr. Robert P. Snoch, of Washington, D. C., came to Philadelphia on Friday, December 2d, and remained till the following Sunday evening, when he returned home.

He appeared to enjoy his visit here, although his last day was snowy, wet and disagreeable.

Mr. August W. Hinz, of Wilkes Barre, Pa., was a visitor at All Souls' Church on Sunday, December 4th, also Mr. R. P. Snoch, of W. Shington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Seay have moved from Wilmington, Del., to Merchantville, N. J. They have taken rooms until they can get a house or bungalow.

A business meeting was down for December 4th, at the Beth Israel Association for the Deaf, but it may have been prevented by the bad weather. Next Sunday, December 11th, Mr. Reider is expected to address the Association.

A linen shower was tendered to Mrs. Dorothy Kriebel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Sanders, at the residence of Mrs. M. J. Syle in Germantown, on Friday evening, December 2d. All we know is that the affair was managed by Mrs. Nancy Moore and turned out as a very pleasant event. We understand that Mrs. Kriebel will be married to a hearing man, who is an artist of considerable repute, on the tenth of December, which is also the marriage anniversary of her parents.

The Clerc Literary Association will hold a business meeting and elect officers for the 1922 term, on Thursday evening, December 15th.

On Saturday evening, December 17th, the Local Branch, P. S. A. D., will hold a business meeting at All Souls' Parish House.

On the 22d, the Clerc Literary Association will be addressed by Esteban Pons, a deaf-mute of Porto Rico, who is sojourning in this city.

We understand that Mrs. H. C. Merrill will leave this city in the latter part of this week to join her husband at Albany, N. Y., and then home with him.

Mrs. J. L. Patterson had a narrow escape from serious injury at the works of the Atlantic Refinery Company recently. A heavy six-inch pipe fell on him from above, but after treatment at the plant's dispensary he was able to continue his work.

Rev. Mr. Dantzer is continuing to perform his pastoral duties at All Souls', although he has not fully recovered his strength.

Mrs. Harry E. Stevens is visiting her sister at Carlisle, Pa.

### Silent Cartoonist in Vaine.

"Silent" Martin's manager, Mr. F. W. Meinken, is not a whit noisier than the noiseless scrapper himself, but he has a way of expressing himself to non-users of finger speech.

Silent Martin, by the way, is the youth who cherishes an ambition to change Smiling Kid Nolan's smile to a look of deep disgust at Henri Tex Wiseman's box party at City Hall Friday night. The two anti speech visitors, in tow of Silent Henri himself, dropped into the the designing department of the Lewiston Journal Thursday morning, in their tour of the building. The manager's eye lighted up as he spied the drawings on the walls. He pointed to a commercial drawing on the wall and tapped himself on the chest, indicating that he was no cake-eater of a commercial artist himself. He pointed to a cartoon and shook his head disparagingly. His whole demeanor reeked of distaste and disapproval. His gestures, expressive spoke louder than words his regard for advertising art over the more or less subtle cartoonist's talent.

He squinted at a sketch of what the average cartoonist believes to be the Latin Quarter artist type, which lay on the desk, with his head on one side. He tapped the picture and himself, to indicate that he was an artist, but disclaimed the long nose and Van Dyke chin ornament of the sketch. Then he selected a sketch of a bulldog from a group of drawings and pointed to Martin. (Let us hope he is correct).

He grabbed a pad of paper and wrote swiftly. "There was a cartoon in a St. Louis Mo., paper where Martin boxed with Harry Greb, illustrating Martin's gloves talking deaf and dumb language to Greb."

The Journal artist tried to get Martin's manager to sit down and give him a lift with his pre-Christmas drawing, but the gentleman excused himself with his fingers and a general assortment of negative toned facial expressions, and left with his two silent companions. Lewiston (Me.) Journal, Dec. 1.

### WIFE DISAPPEARED

Irving Cohen, of Los Angeles, California wants to know where his wife is, and begs readers of the JOURNAL to inform him if they learn of the whereabouts of his wife (nee Lizzie Caplan). She was with him at Tucson, Arizona, on November 18th, and then disappeared.

Mr. Cohen is wearing out by his wife's disappearance. He is in a great grief, that may affect his health. He's still waiting for word from his wife, or her return. Address: I. COHEN, 3224 San Francisco Street, Los Angeles, Cal.

## OHIO.

[News items for this column may be sent to our Ohio News Bureau, care of Mr. A. B. Greener, 988 Franklin Ave., Columbus, O.]

November 26, 1921.—At the last meeting of the Columbus Ladies Aid Society, Misses Nellie Lindsey, Dorothy Durrant and Mrs. F. R. Billingsley were elected active members, and Mrs. John Merchant, of Marion, associate member.

Mrs. C. W. Charles and Miss Bessie MacGregor were selected by the president a committee to act with a like one from the Advance Society in the preparation of a house warming when the men's new building at the Home for the Deaf is ready.

The Secretary, Mr. Joseph Leib, because of an injury, and the treasurer, Miss Bessie Edgar, because of bereavement, were both absent. Miss Edith Biggam acted for the former and Miss Lamson for the latter. The month's receipts were all from membership dues. There were no expenses. The net amount realized from the Halloween Social is \$177.63.

As Christmas gifts to the Home for the Deaf will present an electric washing machine, a mangle, and a sweeper. No better gift could have been made, for the articles are much needed, and hence will be more appreciated. Hearty thanks, and bless you, ladies, the Board of Managers will say. Mrs. Ella Zell, Mrs. Winemiller, Mrs. Wark, Miss Lamson, with Mrs. Chapman, as a committee, will select the articles.

The next meeting comes on the evening of December 1st, at Trinity House. Officers for the ensuing year will be chosen; the nominating committee is made up of Miss Lamson, Mrs. King, and Mrs. Huffman.

There was a steady downpour of rain in the foreman of Thanksgiving day, thus preventing any outdoor games.

Superintendent Jones conducted the Chapel service for the occasion, which, since 1890, they ear he became principal, Dr. Patterson had performed yearly. Because of the exorbitant price of turkey, chicken was the *piece de resistance* at the children's dinner, accompanied by other good things. They had socials in the afternoon, and in the evening were treated to a good entertainment, which was well gotten up, and they certainly enjoyed it.

Despite the wet condition of the grounds, two teams, made up of pupils, styling themselves Harvard and Yale, played a game of football the Havards won, 7 to 0.

Quite a number of the pupils received boxes from home, containing fruit and other goodies.

The Zorn and Oblemacher families had their Thanksgiving dinner up at Westerville with relatives.

Albert Garrison was run over and killed by a Baltimore and Ohio passenger train, near Midland City, on the morning of November 22d. He was a former pupil of the school and left about three years ago.

Mrs. R. P. McGregor left yesterday morning for Pittsburgh, Penn., where this evening he will give a lecture before a club. He will circulate among friends and relatives in the smoky city for a few days before returning home.

December 3, 1921.—Mr. Eugene McConnell, a Sophomore at Gallaudet College surprised his friends at the school here by appearing among them Thursday afternoon. It was a sad mission too, that caused his presence, the funeral of his father, who suffered an apoplectic stroke last Saturday at his home in Portsmouth, Ohio, and died from its effects the Monday following. The son was notified of his father's condition and left College for home immediately, but the Grim Reaper outraced him before he could reach the bedside of his father.

Interment is to be made at Clyde, Ohio, and on its way to that point the funeral party had to stop over here several hours for railway connections. Mr. McConnell meanwhile came down to the school, where his presence was a great surprise to his friends, not having before learned of his father's death. He received the sincere sympathy from all in his bereavement.

Rev. C. W. Charles had a large attendance at the communion service in Trinity Chapel last Sunday morning. The Rite of Baptism was administered to Leslie Oren, the blind and deaf man, also to Horton Davis, of this city, who recently was married to Mrs. Della Comers.

Dr. Robert Patterson will be the orator on Gallaudet Day evening, before the St. Elizabeth Guild in the basement of St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, West Virginia. Following there will be a banquet.

Another Society to help the Home was organized November 23d, at the home of Mr. Samuel W. Corbett, of Bellaire, Ohio. It will be known under the name of the Eastern Ohio Advance Society. The officers elected are: S. W. Corbett, President; Joseph LaMotte, Vice-President and Financial Secretary; Elmer Conoway, General Secretary; Wm. Robb, Treasurer; Lloyd Humes and Frank Burfoot, Trustees.

The Society is ready to furnish a room in the Men's new building, and will start off early in the

new year to raise funds by giving a social. Here is wishing good luck to the little infant, and may it in course of time grow big and become helpful in its endeavors.

Paul Smith, of this city, after being idle since early last Spring, when he was thrown out of work in one of the Toledo auto factories, secured a job a few days ago. He is now employed over in Coshocton by the Novelty Advertising Company, with good wages and extra pay for work overtime.

Notice was sent parents and guardians of pupils Thursday of the Christmas vacation, which begins December 23d, and to send money for transportation, if they wish their child to come home. It is hoped all pupils will be asked to come home. Last year only five were left behind.

The oyster supper at the Home for Deaf, given under the auspices of the Young Ladies, Wednesday evening, for the benefit of a movie machine for the Home, was a success financially and socially.

The weather was of the rainy variety. Despite it a goodly number of people from the city went up and were the happier for braving the elements, because of the enjoyment received. There was a surprise in store for all when Miss Leah Clapham, president of the Central College Community Circle announced that her organization would donate \$20 to the Fund. This was received with applause. She next by way of entertainment recited "Just Folks," and was again greeted with clapping hands. Miss May Greener interpreted her talk.

During the evening other entertainments were: Picking up apples blindfolded from the floor, Fox and Geese, and dancing the Virginia Reel. The old folks delighted in these amusements. It was near 10 o'clock when the autobus came and took most of the Columbus folks back, among whom was Leslie Oren. Quite a number of the country folks lent their presence, and if the weather had been favorable many more would have been there.

The total amount taken in, including the \$20 donation was \$58.95 and expenses about \$11.93.

The young ladies desire to heartily thank all who assisted them in any way. They expect later to give other entertainments until they have secured a fund that will purchase a good machine. Any one desiring to assist them by a contribution for the object will be welcomed to do so.

A. B. G.

## AKRON, O.

Mrs. Ida O'Reilly, sister of the late David L. O'Connor, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Zitznik, 2579 Preston Ave. Her home is at Minneapolis, Minn.

James Trainor is spending a short time in Portsmouth.

William Reinhold, 384 N. Howard Street, Saturday evening celebrated his birthday with the immediate family and several friends.

Mr. McLean dropped in at Good-year Hall one day about two weeks ago, to get acquainted with friends, having traveled on foot from New York since October 12th (Columbus Day), en route to his home town of Phoenix, Ariz. The young fellow was dressed for hiking in a soldier uniform and carried a heavy gipsack. He expects to eat his Christmas dinner with his parents when he arrives home.

Saturday evening, the members of Akron Division, No. 55, N. F. S. D., held an entertainment at their hall, Preston L. Stevenson, of Findlay, gave a sleight-of-hand performance that was entertaining as well as amusing. About one hundred and eight people were in attendance.

The members of the Silent Sunday School of the Church of Christ celebrated the fifth birthday anniversary of the organization with a social Saturday evening. They feel they have had profitable religious meetings as well as a social career.

Mr. Dennis K. Wickline, 687 Excelsior Ave., was married Saturday to Miss Myrtle M. Zelnik, a beautiful young lady, in Pittsburgh, Pa. The happy couple will make their home in Akron after December 15th. Congratulations!

Saturday and Sunday, November 19th and 20th, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Stevenson, of Findlay, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ware, Shellborn Street, West Hill.

Burchell Smith and Garnet Lowry went to the vicinity of Rockwell Lake near Kent Saturday, and bagged a number of rabbits and other game in season.

Charles Gardenshire, Black Street, has returned home after giving a helping hand to his father in corn husking for about three weeks.

H. C. Ware, accompanied John Porter Riley, the blind deaf man, went to the Home for the Aged and Infirm Deaf near Westerville, where he became a resident. Mr. Riley lost a good mother by death recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon J. Jaingor, 511½ East Exchange Street, entertained Mr. Earl Erickson and little daughter, of Watson Street, Goodyear Heights, with a Thanksgiving dinner.

AKRONITE.



## FANWOOD.

The Literary meeting by the Junior High Class girls was held in the chapel last Friday evening.

The program opened with the "Reading" by Edna Adams. All readings, it is needless to say, were interesting and in some parts exciting, especially that of Edna Adams. She succeeded first-rate in telling her thrilling story in a thorough and dramatic manner.

Dr. Fox (president of the Fanwood Literary Association) occupied the platform, and chose three pupils as judges of the debate. The affirmative side was upheld by Gladys Curedale and the negative by Mary Denham, on the question, "Resolved, That city life is more broadening than country life." It was announced that the negative won by two points.

The careful preparations in the play proved not only a satisfactory but interesting. It certainly held our attention steadily till the last minute.

The program in full is appended.

Reading—By Edna Adams.  
Reading—"My Summer Experiences," by Jessie Garrick.

Debate—"Resolved, That city life is more broadening than country life." Affirmative—Gladys Curedale. Negative—Mary Denham.

Dialogue—By Ethel Brenneisen and Thurlia LaMour.

Reading—"Billy Rugh," by Anna Kaplan.

Reading—"Sneezed to Death" by Doris Patterson.

Current Events—by Katherine Shafer.

"THE HONEST WOODMAN."

SCENE—In the woods by a river.

The Woodman . . . . . Thurlia LaMour  
The Fairy . . . . . Mary Denham

"LAZY KATE."

SCENE I—Kate's room.  
SCENE II—A school room.  
SCENE III—Kate's room.

The Mother . . . . . Gladys Curedale  
The Child . . . . . Doris Patterson  
School children and teacher.

SCENE—A kitchen.

"THE SELFISH WOMAN."

The Selfish Woman . . . . . Katherine Shafer  
The Beggar . . . . . Mary Denham

"THE GOLDEN BUCKET."

SCENE—The woods.

An Old Man . . . . . Mary Denham  
The Boy . . . . . Jessie Garrick  
The Mother . . . . . Thurlia LaMour

"THE GIRLS AND THE NUT."

SCENE—A road.

THREE GIRLS—Anna Kaplan, Jessie Garrick, Gladys Curedale.

PROLOGUE AND EPILOGUE—By Edna Adams.

Dr. Fox asked us if we wanted to give the entertainers our thanks for their excellently prepared program. Of course we did.

Mr. Max Cohen came down from St. Paul, November 14th, on business, and to take a look around. His business was in connection with naturalization papers at the Court House. He says that he is working on a night shift at a printing establishment in St. Paul, and he feels happy every time he receives his check, as the figures are so large.—*Minnesota Companion.*

Nathan Schwartz, a Fanwood graduate, is still in Portsmouth, Va., doing well at printing. He is a member of the Knights of Pythias; D. O. O. K.; and secretary of Norfolk Division, No. 84, National Fraternal Society of the Deaf. He also belongs to two brass bands, utilizing the musical teaching he received at Fanwood.

During the Thanksgiving recess Cadet Color Sergeant Arthur Jensen invited Cadet Casper Bylinski to his home. And Cadet 1st Sergeant Lester Cahill invited Cadet Fred Donnelly. After their arrival here on November 28th, each guest announced that they had a most enjoyable time over the Thanksgiving vacation.

Miss Gertrude Sheehan, our former Physical Director, who is now employed at the Fox Hill Hospital, made a call on us last Tuesday, the 19th.

The band will play at a concert at the Fort Washington Presbyterian Church under the auspices of the Women's Temperance Union on Friday evening, December 16th, 1921.

Last Sunday afternoon, in the chapel, Prof. Jones preached a most remarkable sermon on the theme: "Make your path straight, so that those who will follow you will find it easy to walk in the way."

Cadet Harold Yager had a big party at his home, in honor of his grandmother's 85th birthday, which occurred on Sunday last.

Last Saturday Cadet Color Sergeant Jensen saw the skillful and clever boxing of Johnny Willet, who boxed with a hearing boy in Ridgewood, Brooklyn, and outpointed him.

Following is the copy of a letter, dated November 29th, from the Woman's Roosevelt Memorial Association, 1 East 57th Street, New York City, officially signed by the secretary of the organization, Mrs. Charles A. Bryan:

"At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Woman's Roosevelt

Memorial Association, held November 18th, 1921, motion carried that a letter of thanks be sent to the band for the stirring music they played at Carnegie Hall on October 27th in connection with the presentation of a flag for ROOSEVELT HOUSE by the Rotary Club of New York.

"You have so many times helped us that we now consider you one of our valued supporters in the work we have undertaken.

"Please to assure the boys we so much appreciate what they have done."

Johnny Willet, a former pupil of Fanwood, and Hyman Stecker, a graduate of Fanwood, were recent visitors. They confessed that they wished to live their school days over again.

Last Friday afternoon, in the gymnasium, the Arthur team went to defeat at the hands of the Casper team by the score of 14 to 8. The Casper team expects to defeat the Tom team so as to take the first place.

The Mitchell team lost twice. We can not understand it. We see every player of that team is very wide from shoulder to shoulder, and it should be the powerful team.

A hot game of basket ball between the Tom and the Mitchell quintets took place on Monday, the 28th of November. The pupils, who witness the game, were much excited over it. The final score was 15 to 14 in the Tom's favor.

Cadet Lieutenant John Spellman was called home because of the death of his beloved cousin, last Thursday, December 1st. He returned to school yesterday.

Fourth month of "get together"

Charles Dillingham's pageant of a thousand delights, "Get Together" begins the fourth month of its joyous run at the Hippodrome this coming Monday. Also it approaches the season preceding the Hippodrome's greatest holidays, when the thousands of Christmas shoppers and visitors from out of town find enjoyment and relaxation in its varied wholesome programme, and who plan their Hippodrome visit months in advance, always certain that at the big playhouse they will find New York's most gratifying musical offering.

Because of the great patronage from out of town shoppers, Mr. Dillingham annually adds to the Hippodrome service special guides and information men who are prepared to give visitor all information regarding train connections, and to help these visitors realize that the Hippodrome is New York's most famous meeting place. As the new attraction for the coming week Mr. Dillingham announces a carnival of clowns who will take part in the circus scenes with Powers' Elephants and with Mile Spangletti, the midgele questreus comedienne. The contingent will be headed by "Toots" brother of "Toto" famous Hippodrome clown of other years, while Mr. Dillingham announces a continuation of the engagements of the Fokine ballet, "The Thunder Bird"; the ice ballet, "The Red Shoes" from the admiral's Ice Palace, Berlin, with Charlotte, the incomparable queen of all skaters, Katie Schmidt, Howard Nicholson and Paul Kreckow, while for the lovers of variety entertainment the programme includes Bert Levy, Ferry Corwey, the Three Bobs, and their marvelous crew, "Jocko"; Mile Spangletti, the Graf Trio, Marceline, "Toots" and Power's Performing Elephants, as well as Clyde Cook's latest motion picture comedy, "The Chauffeur." Matinees are given daily.

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